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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), an extension of time of for one month
is hereby requested to respond to the Office Action dated July 16, 2002.

The requisite fee of \$55.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 is enclosed herewith.

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